SPECIFICATION AMENDMENT

1. Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 7 page 8 with the following amended paragraph:

Unlike the first embodiment, with the second embodiment the tip 3 of the nozzle needle in the area facing the injection hole 8 is formed by an approximately parabolic, tapering area 11. This tapering area 11 of the tip 3 is configured here so that an area A with a minimum cross-section of approx. ~~**0,200 mm2**~~**0.200 mm^2** results between the uppermost edge point 9 of the injection hole 8 and the tapering area 11.